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Subject: RE: FOIA Request 2021-003430

I think this may be new chemicals. It does not ring a bell for me at all with existing chems. Tracy Williamson /ICB could maybe tell us whether it has undergone new chems review or has any actions.

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Sent: Monday, May 3, 2021 8:44 PM

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Hello.

Any thoughts on whom we might reach out to re: FOIA request on Derchlorane Plus (commercial mixture and polychlorinated flame retardant)?

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Hi Tom,

Attached and listed below is a FOIA request OCSPP received related to Dechlorane Plus. I believe most of the folks that had communications related to the topic are assigned to Existing Chemicals (Niva Kramek, Andy Gillespie, and Tanya Mottley). They may be additional custodians from Existing Chemicals, but I'm not sure. Can you confirm the custodians and determine if Existing Chemicals would have any responsive records related to any portion of the request?

FOIA Request

1. All records of EPA or EPA staff, including but not limited to internal and external communications, reflecting or relating to the manufacture of Dechlorane Plus or Dechlorane Plus-containing products and articles, including but not limited to all communications and records exchanged with manufacturers such as Hooker Chemicals and Plastics Corporation (now Occidental Chemical Company, or OxyChem) in Niagara Falls, New York, and any other U.S. manufacturers.

- 2. All records of EPA or EPA staff, including but not limited to internal and external communications, reflecting or relating to the use, import, distribution in commerce, or disposal of Dechlorane Plus or Dechlorane Plus-containing products and articles.
- 3. All records of EPA or EPA staff reflecting or related to scientific reviews of Dechlorane Plus, whether undertaken by EPA staff or outside parties.
- 4. All records of EPA or EPA staff reflecting or related to the anticipated or proposed use of Dechlorane Plus as an alternative to EPA-regulated substances.
- 5. All Form Us submitted in 2020 under the TSCA Chemical Data Reporting rule for Dechlorane Plus.

Please let me know if you have questions or would like to discuss.

Thanks,

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